

**MINUTES OF THE  
SENATE REVENUE AND TAXATION STANDING COMMITTEE**

Room 250, Utah State Capitol

March 8, 2016

**Members Present:** Sen. Deidre M. Henderson, Chair  
Sen. Gene Davis  
Sen. Jim Dabakis  
Sen. Wayne Harper  
Sen. Howard Stephenson

**Member Excused:** President Wayne L. Niederhauser

**Members Absent:** Sen. Curtis S. Bramble

**Staff Present:** Mr. Leif Elder, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Nancy Skidmore, Committee Secretary

**NOTE:** A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Henderson called the meeting to order at 5:18 p.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Dabakis moved to approve the minutes of the March 4, 2016 and March 7, 2016 meetings. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Harper absent for the vote.

**H.B. 190S03 Taxation of Foreign Income Amendments (*B. Wilson*)**

This bill was not considered.

**H.B. 193S01 Charter School Funding Amendments (*Rep. K. Powell*)**

Rep. Powell explained the bill to the committee.

**MOTION:** Sen. Stephenson moved to amend the bill as follows:

*I. Page 14, Lines 408 through 411f*

*House Floor Amendments*

3-3-2016:

408 March 4, 2016, of the local school board's intent to increase the board local levy rate.

409 (d) ***[A]*** ***So long as the charter school levy rate does not exceed 25% of the charter school levy per district revenues, a*** local school board may not increase a board local levy rate under this section if

410 the  $\hat{H} \rightarrow$  [sole]  $\leftarrow \hat{H}$  purpose of increasing the board local levy rate is to  $\hat{H} \rightarrow$  [recapture]

410b capture  $\leftarrow \hat{H}$   $\hat{H} \rightarrow$  [revenue lost]

410a from]  $\leftarrow \hat{H}$  the

411 ~~H → [decrease]~~ {adjustment} ~~← H~~ revenues assigned to the charter school levy through the adjustment in a board local levy rate under Subsection (5)(a).

411a ~~H →~~ (e) Before a local school board ~~{increases}~~ takes action to increase a board local levy rate under this section, the

411b local school board shall:

411c(i) prepare a written statement that attests that the local school board is {not increasing the

~~411d board local levy rate for the purpose of capturing the adjustment of the local school board's~~

~~411e local levy rate under Subsection (5)(a)}~~ in compliance with Subsection (5)(d) ;

411f(ii) read the statement described in Subsection (5)(e)(i) during a local school board public

The motion passed unanimous with Sen. Harper absent for the vote.

Spoke for the bill: Kristi Swett, President, Utah School Boards Association

**MOTION:** Sen. Stephenson moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Davis absent for the vote.

#### **H.B. 358S01 Student Privacy Amendments (*Rep. J. Anderegg*)**

Rep. Anderegg explained the bill to the committee.

Spoke to the bill: Richard Nye, Associate Superintendent, Utah State Office of Education  
John Doherty, Vice President of State Policy and General Counsel,  
TechNet

Spoke for the bill: Gail Ruzika, Eagle Forum  
Wendy Bagley, Citizen  
Elizabeth Garbe, Government Relations Director, United Way of Salt Lake

**MOTION:** Sen. Stephenson moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed with Sen. Harper voting in opposition and Sen. Dabakis and Sen. Davis absent for the vote

The Chair adjourned the meeting.

Chair Henderson adjourned the meeting at 5:58 p.m.

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Sen. Deidre M. Henderson, Chair